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**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
NORTHERN DISTRICT OF ILLINOIS**

UNITED STATES,

Plaintiff,

vs.

HOWARD LEVENTHAL

Defendant

Case No.: 13-cr-844

JUDGE ANDREA R. WOOD

**DEFENDANT'S MOTION FOR TEMPORARY ORDER STAYING DOJ
COLLECTION ACTIVITIES**

NOW COMES DEFENDANT Howard E. Leventhal, a non-attorney pro se, hereby respectfully submitting this motion for order temporarily staying DOJ financial collection activities in this matter. In support of this motion, Defendant states as follows:

1. On May 27, 2021 Defendant filed a motion with this court to set aside payment of restitution in this matter, for good cause shown including DOJ breach of the plea agreement in this matter.

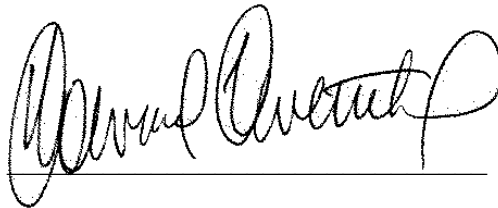
2. Since then, it has come to the undersigned's attention that the DOJ's Goat-Herder-in-Chief, AUSA William Hogan, has somehow found a way to destroy the financial relationship between Defendant Leventhal and a particular financial institution. Apparently, this was done because destroying Leventhal's relationship with his daughter was unsatisfying.

3. It has been extraordinarily difficult for Leventhal to re-establish any amount of personal credit, which is necessary to obtain minimally sufficient housing. The amounts of money involved are insubstantial, but the effects of Hogan's latest improper acts upon Leventhal's credit

1 rating are quite significant and harmful. In light of all the criminal acts Hogan has surely
2 engaged-in as alleged in Leventhal's motion to set aside the restitution order, there appears to be
3 no limit. Intervention by this court to prevent further harm is requested.
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6 **NOW THEREFORE**, Defendant Howard Leventhal respectfully requests that this court
7 enter a temporary stay order (along lines of the **attached proposed order**) upon the Department
8 of Justice as to any and every form and manner of financial collection on restitution, fines, fees
9 and all other forms of monetary assessment upon the Defendant pursuant to this case, until such
10 time as the court rules on Leventhal's motion to set aside restitution order.
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12 Respectfully submitted,
13 DEFENDANT PRO SE

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